

RUNNING A STATE BY APPOINTMENT

BAR ASSOCIATION IN FAVOR OF
MANY CHANGES IN CONDUCT
OF STATE GOVERNMENT

Adopting a report submitted by Prince A. Hawkins, chairman of the committee on constitutional amendments, the Nevada State Bar association went on record, after prolonged discussion, in favor of the appointment of all state officers, except the lieutenant governor and clerk of the supreme court, by the governor; the appointment of all county officers by the county commissioners; a four year term for members of the legislature and all county officers; a 12 year term for members of the state supreme court and a six year term for district judges. The committee's report recommended that the lieutenant governor be elected and that the clerk of the supreme court be appointed by the members of the supreme court.

Embodied in the motion made by L. A. Gibbons to accept the committee's report was the provision that the president of the bar association appoint a committee to prepare bills covering the recommendations made and present them to the next legislature.

Immediately after this matter was disposed of George Bartlett, chairman of the committee on judicial reform, presented that committee's report and precipitated another discussion by a recommendation that the association take steps to have passed by the next legislature an act taking out of the hands of political parties the nomination of candidates for the judiciary. This portion of the report was not adopted, but it brought forth many suggestions, among them being that the practice followed in California be adopted. In California, all primary candidates for judicial nominations are placed on the ticket of each party and those receiving the highest number of votes in the primary election are declared nominated. For the reason that the procedure was without nominations, the election occupied considerable time. L. A. Gibbons of Reno was elected president on the first ballot, and after the result was announced his election was made unanimous.—Reno Gazette.

DARIO RESTA IS LEADING DRIVER

RETIREMENT OF AITKEN GIVES
ITALIAN FIRST PLACE IN
THE LIST

(By Associated Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 21.—Dario Resta, automobile racing driver, became the sole claimant today of the American Automobile association's title of "champion driver of America," when Johnny Aitken, his rival, announced that he would not race at Ascot speedway on Thanksgiving day. Aitken said he was leaving at once for the east with Wilcox, his teammate. He said that the prize money offered in the Ascot event was not sufficient to be attractive.

ROUNDHOUSE DESTROYED
BY FIRE SATURDAY NIGHT

The Mason roundhouse of the Nevada Copper Belt railroad, together with one locomotive and an automobile, was destroyed Saturday night by fire which is supposed to have started from sparks dropped by one of the locomotives.

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CIVILIAN ARMY NOT POPULAR

BERLIN PAPER OPPOSES THE
POLICY OF CONTINUING
WAR ANIMOSITIES

(By Associated Press.)
AMSTERDAM, Nov. 21.—The Berlin Tageblatt believes the compulsory service of civilians in the proposed "home army" will cause "a deep but quiet revolution in Germany, which must emerge from war a free parliamentary country. Everybody professionally engaged in sowing the seeds of international hatred should be punished."

BIG STORAGE PLANTS GORGED WITH FOOD

AGENTS ASKED TO EXPLAIN
THEIR PART IN LIFTING
FOOD PRICES

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Nov. 21.—The federal grand jury before which evidence concerning the advance in the cost of foodstuffs will be presented was sworn in here this afternoon. While dealers in this city and the middle west generally are complaining of a shortage of supplies, the government agents are said to have learned that cold storage plants are gorged with stores.

EMPEROR'S HEALTH IS NOT ALARMING

REPORTS FROM VIENNA STATE
FRANCIS JOSEPH SUFFERS
FROM SORE THROAT

(By Associated Press.)
ROME, Nov. 21.—Pope Benedict, who is much interested in the condition of Emperor Francis Joseph, receives from the nunciature at Vienna frequent reports on the state of the emperor's health. Many cold storage men, wholesalers, jobbers and retailers will be summoned to testify before the grand jury, it was said.

FOUND DEAD IN BED

Michael McDonald, a resident of Goldfield for ten years and for six years compressor engineer for the Consolidated Mines company, was found dead in bed at 5 o'clock Monday morning in his room. He had been ill for three days. McDonald was about 55 years of age and a native of Ireland. He spent some time in Cananea, Mexico, and came to Goldfield from Colorado, where he lived at Victor.—Tribune.

An official report just received here says that the emperor's condition, although somewhat more serious, is not alarming. The emperor suffers from bronchial irritation, a slight temperature and a frequent and irregular pulse, which has caused his medical attendants some uneasiness.

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